

*Thank you very much for keeping me abreast about scientific meetings of Delta Council and else.*

*But I a bit confuse, for I have not met any information in your mails about salt intrusion into Delta from San Francisco Bay.*

*It is my believe that past and current systematic seasonal and perennial water withdrawals from the Delta of millions of acre-feet has exceed in sum the volume of the Delta itself by hundred of times.*

*Normally,in this case, a common, gradual, insidious salt intrusion into deep and bottom layers of the Delta tributaries must takes place almost in proportion of freshwater withdrawals.*

*Note that this event routinely observed in any deltas worldwide and well describes by classical equations of water and salt balance in many scientific publication.*

*As it had been shown in dry and critical dry years of 1920th, this development had inflicted nearly mortal blow to the Delta ability to provide water supply to Contra Costa county industrial and municipal needs. And I must add that salinization of deltaic water very dangerous for existence of Delta levees as well.*

*Sincerely,*

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